HOUSEHOLD RECIPES.

BOILED POTATOES .- This is a formula:- Let each mess be of equal size. Let the water boil before putting the potatoes in. When done, pour off the water and scatter on three or four table spoonfuls of salt, cover the pot with a coarse cloth, and return it to the fire for a short time. Watery potatoes are made mealy by this process.

ICE CREAM - Beat the yolk of three eggs light, and stir them into a quart of milk, then add half a pound of sugar, a pint of cream, and the peel of two lemons. Set over a moderate fire and stir constantly until boiling hot, then take out the lemon peel, let it become cold and

freeze it. SPARE RIB .- Wash and dry your spare rib, and season it with salt, cayenue pepper and powdered sage. Put it in a pan and set it in a moderate even. Instead of roasting, you may

breil on the gridiron. GINGER SNAPS .- Take 2 cups molasses. cup lard. I tablespoonful ginger, I teasponful salt, 2 teaspoonfuls soda. Let these ingredients boil up once, then add flour until stiff enough to roll out, and bake in a quick oven.

SEALING WAX FOR FRUIT CANS .- Take rosm, eight ounces; gum shellac, two ounces: beeswax, one-half ounce; and if you desire it colored, English vermillion one and a half cunces. Melt the rosin and stir in the vermillion if used. Then add the shellac slowly, and afterwards the beeswax. This will make quite a quantity, and needs only to be melted to be ready at any time.

SCHSTITETE FOR COFFEE. To one quart of wheat bran add one teacupful of molasses, with one of water, stir together and dry in the shade, or in a stove; brown a dark color and mix onethird coffee, which, if prepared right, makes an excellent beverage.

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PROPOSALS FOR RAISING WRECKSAT NOR-FOLK, VA., AND IN THE VIGINIT Y

NAVY DEPARTMENT, February 4, 1864. PROPOSALS will be received at the Navy Department until the 3d day of March, 1864, for raising or wrecking and removing the materials, and delivering at the United States Navy-Yard, Gosport, Va., the wrecks of the following ships, viz:

Frigates "Cumberland" and "Congress," at Newport News; and "Merrimack," near Craney Island.

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Island.
The small steamer" Whitehall," at Old Point.
Frigates" Raritan" and "Columbia," and Lineof-battle ships "Pennsylvania," "Belaware" and
"Columbus," in the vicinity of the Navy-Yard.
Bidders for this contract will take into consideration that the Government requires the Frigate
"Cumberland," and whatever may be on board on
her, atthey public or private property to be deher, either public or private property, to be de-livered at the Navy-Yard, Gosport, Va., or at any other convenient place which the Government may esignate, without any further mutilation that may be absolutely necessary to raise her.

It will be required by the Government that the contractors commence as soon as practicable on the Comberland, and not to engage or commence on any other wreck, without permission of the Government matil she is disposed of The Government will also claim the right of designating the order in which, after the "Cumberlant," the wrecks are to be raised; also, to determine whether a wreck shall be blasted or raised whole. No sale or appraisement can be claimed by the contractors on any wreck until all the vessels named small have been removed, and duly received by the Commandant, unless by authority of the be considered removed while any tion of keel or floor timbers remains. All the wrocks, as well as fragments of timber and other material, (which may be the result of thating,) must be deposited at the Navy Yard at such place or places as the Commandant may designate. And such property, after having been received by the Commandant, shall be considered in charge of the United States Government, until disposed of agreeably to the specifications of the contract to be made.

contract to be made.

All the appliances used in raising the wrecks must be furnished at the expense of the contractors.

The offer must state the rate per centum, or salvage, for raising and delivering each vessel, also for wrecking, the value to be ascertained and determined by two persons to be appointed by the Department, and one person to be appointed by the contractors, or on the actual proceeds of a sale at mable suction, for the whole or any part, as the ablic saction, for the whole or any part, as the epartment may elect. The offer must be accompanied by the guarantee of responsible parties that the contract will be executed if awarded. The Department reserves the right to reject all bids of parties who have not the proper means provided for executing the work and of annulling the contract if the work is not executed in due proportion to the time fixed for executed in due proportion to the time fixed for completion. The proposition must also state the time required to do the work.

Proposals will be marked, "Proposals for raising wrecks at Norfolk," Ac., so as to prevent them &c., so as to prevent th from being opened with other letters. fes-2awiw.

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By command of Brig. Gen. Martindale.
JOHN P. SHERBURNE. Assistant Adjutant General. Passes to Visit the Army of the Potemac. 1. Applications must be made at the office of Majer Louis H. Pelouze, No. 203 F street, between 17th and 18th streets, between 11 a.m. and 1 p. m., except Sundays. Major Pelouze is authorised to sign the passes.

2. If not granted at the office of Major Pelouze, the decision is final, and no reference need be made at the War Department. 3. Passes cannot be given to females to visit

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PROPOSALS.

DROPOSALS POR PORAGE.

CRIEF QUARTERNASTER'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON DEPOT. Dec. 8, 1863. BEALED PROPOSALS are invited by the undersigned for supplying the U. S. Quartermaster's Department, at Washington, B. G. Baltimore, Md.,
Alexaddria, and Fort Monroe, Va., or either of
these places, with Hay, Corn, Cats and Straw.
Bids will be received for the delivery of 5,000
bushels of corn or cats and 30 tons of hay or straw,
and upwards. and upwards.

Bidders must state at which of the above-named points they propose to make deliveries, and the rates at which they will make deliveries the reat. the quantity of each article proposed to be delivered, the time when said deliveries shall be commenced, and when to be completed. The pric must be written out in words on the Corn to be put up in good stout sacks, of about two bushels each. Oats in like sacks of about three bushels each. The sacks to be furnished without extra charge to the Government. The hay and extra charge to the Government. The hay and straw to be securely baled.

The particular kind or description of oats, corn, hay or straw proposed to be delivered most be stated in the proposals.

All the articles offered under the bids herein invited will be subject to a rigid inspections by the Government Inspector before being accepted.

Contracts will be awarded from time to time to the lowest responsible bidder, as the tnterest of the Government may require and payment will be made when the whole amount contracted for shall have been delivered and accepted.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposal with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons that in case his bid is accepted he or they will, within ten days thereafter, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the forage provosed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the effer of said bidder and the gext lowest response. tract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responthe offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded

The responsibility of the guaranters must be shown by the official certificate of a U. S. District Attorney, Collector of Customs or any other officer under the United States Government or responsible person known to this office.

All bidders will be duly notified of the acceptance orirejection of their propossis.

The full name and P. O. address of each bidder must be legibly written in the proposal.

Proposals must be addressed to Brig Gen. D. H.
Rucker, Chief Devot Quartermaster, Washington,
D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals
for Forage"

Rocker in a sum equal to the amount of the

Black forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guaranters, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

Black forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds, may be obtained upon application at this office. FORM OF PROPOSAL. (Town, County and State)-

I, the subscriber, do hpreby propose to furnish and deliver to the United States, at the Quarter-master's Department at ——, agreez bly to the terms of your advertisement, inviting proposals for forage, dated Washington Depot, Dec. 8, 1863, the following articles, vis. tne following articles, viz:

bushels of Corn, in sacks, at — per bushel of 56 pounds bushels of Cats, in sacks, at — per bushel of 32 pounds tons of baled Hay, at - per ton of 1,000 pounds tons of baled Straw, at --- per ton of 2,000

Delivery to commence on or before the - day of —, 186, and to be completed on or before the day of —, 186, and pledge myself to enter into a written contract with the United States, with good and approved securities within the space of ten days after being notified that my bid has been accepted. Your obedient servant. Brigadier General D. H. RUCKER, General Depot Quartermaster.

Washington, D. C.

We, the undersigned, residents of ______, in the County of _____, and State of _____, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of ______, be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of said bid, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to farnish the forage proposed in conformity to the terms of advertisement dated Docember 8, 1553, under which the bid was made, end, in case the said _____ shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer by said ____ and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded. GUARATY. the contract may be awarded. Witness

Given under our hands and seals this day of Beal. I hereby certify that, to the best of my know-ledge and belief, the above-named guaranters are good and sufficient as sureties for the amount for which they offer to be security.

To be e. ified by the United States District Attorney, Collector of Customs, or say other officer under the United States Government, or responsible person known to this office.

D H. BUOKNB. Brig. Gen. and Q. M.

DROPOSALS FOR BRICK.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE. Depot of Washington, corner of 18th and G sts.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until MONDAY, March 7, 1854, at 12 o'clock M., for the delivery at the Railroad Depot, or Government wharf, foot of G street in this city, the following amounts and kinds of good merchantable bricks. (100,000) one hundred thousand Hard Red Brick, (100,000) one hundred thousand Arch Bricks. (100,000) one hundred thousand Salmon Bricks.

Belivery of the whole amount contracted for to

be made in (25) twenty-five days from the date of Bonds in a sum equal to half of the amount of the contract will be required of the successful bidder Bids received for the whole amount, or each kind The bricks contracted for will be subjected to a rigid inspection before being received. Proposals must be plainly endorsed "Proposals for Bricks," and addressed to the undersigned.

D. H. RUCKER,

Brig Gen and Chief Quartermaster, Depot of Washington DROPOSALS FOR CAVALRY HORSES. WAR DEPARTMENT, CAVALRY BURNAU,

Office of Chief Quartermaster,
Washington, D. C., Feb. 21, 1864.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., on MONDAY, March seventh. THERE THOUSAND (3,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered at Montpelier, Vt., within fifty (50) days from date of contract.

ONE THOUSAND (1,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Washington, D. C., (Giesboro' Depot) within thirty (30) days from date of contract.

CNE THOUSAND (1000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Elmira, N. Y., within forty (40) days from date of contract.

Also sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on THURSDAY, March. tenth (10th.) 1864, for TWO THOUSAND (2,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Wheeling, West Virginia, within (30) days from date of contract.

Said horses to be sound in all particulars, not less than five (5) nor more than nine (9) years old; from 14% to 16 hands high; full fleshed, compactly built, bridle wise, and of size sufficient for cavalry pur-POSES.
These specifications will be strictly adhered to and rigidly enforced in every particular.
No bid will be entertained unless accompanied No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by a guaranty of its faithful performance.

**Eshoula any United States officer guarantee the proposal of a bidder who should prove to be irresponsible, his name will be reported to the Secretary of War, with a feconimendation that such officer be dismissed the service.

Form of bid and guaranty can be had on application to Captain John W. McKim, A. Q. M., at Boston, Mass.; Capt. J. G. Farnsworth, A. Q. M., at Wheeling, Va., or at this office.

Buccessful bidders will be prepared to enter into written contracts, with good and sufficient security, immediately on the acceptance of their bids.

The oath of allegiance must accompany each bid.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject all

The undersigned reserves the right to reject all bids deemed unreasonable. No bid will be entertained for less than fifty Payment will be made on completion of contract, or as soon thereafter as funds may be received Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Cavalry Lorses," and addressed to Lieut. Col. James A Ehin, Chief Quartermaster, Cavalry Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Any further information will be promptly given on application to JAS. A. BEIN, fe 24 to Lt. Col. and Chief Q. M., Cayalry Sureau.

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DEOPOSALS FOR LIME. CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,

DEPOT OF WASHINGTON,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13, 1864.

BEALED PROPOSALS WIll be received at this office until FRIDAY, March 4, 1864, at 12 o'clock, for Ten Thousand (10,000) Bushels of good merchantable Unslacked Lime The whole amount to be delivered within thirty (30) days from the date of contract at such points in the city of Washington as the Depot Quartermaster may direct. The Lime to weigh not less than eighty (80) lbs. to the bushel. The amount offered by the successful bidders will be subject to a rigid inspection by an inspector appointed by the Government before being accepted, PROPOSALS. PROPOSALS. The price must be written out in words on the bid, as must also the full name and post office address of the bidder.

Proposals from disloyal parties will not be considered and an oath of allegiance must accompany

Proposals must be addressed to Brig. Gen. D. H. Bucker, Chief Quartermaster, Depot of Washington, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Lime."

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GUABANTEE.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, that, in case his bid is accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court or of the United States District Attorney. Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guaranters, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract. FORM OF GUARANTEE.

We, the undersigned residents of _____, in the county of ____, and btate of _____, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of be accepted, that he or they will at once execute the contract for the same, with gc_d and sufficient sureties in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the advertisement dated February 12 1854 under which the side of the contract for the same advertisement dated February 12 1854 under which the side of the same and th this — day of —, 186 Given under our hands and seals

To this guarantee must be appended the official The right to reject any or all bids that may be deemed too high is reserved by the Depot Quarter-master, as well as the right to select from each bid such quantities at the prices therein named, as is required by the Government.

D. H. RUCKER,

Brig. Gen, and Chief Quartermaster,

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Depot of Washington.

ORDNANCE OFFICE,

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, Feb. 23, 1884.

PROPOSALS will be received by this Department until Tuesday, March 8 at 4 o'clock p. m., for the delivered at the Springfield Armory, Mass., of 6,000 sets of wrought iron work, for United States Artiflers Harness. illery Harness The Harness Irons are to be packed in well-made boxes, containing twelve single sets each, being an assortment for four wheel and eight lead horses nd each twelve sets so packed will consist of th l'ewing pieces : pairs long Hames, complete, pairs short Hames, complete, pairs medium Hames, complete,

48 Trace Clips, with 144 rivets, double Loops or eyes, 2 Fad le Loops, (bent for cattle,) Trace Myes, 24 long Chains with toggles, 24 short Chains with toggles,

4 Breast Hooks. 2 Leg Guards, with 10 rivets. 2 Leg Guards, with 10 rivets.
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All the irons are to be well tapanned—the japan to be of the best quality and well baked on. They are to be subject to inspection at the factory where made, before and after japanning.
The Hames are to be marked with the maker's name, the size, and the letters U.S.A. The latter letters one fourth of an inch high.
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All the pieces are to be put up in proper bundles properly labeled, and each box is to be carefully acked, as prescribed by the Inspector. The park-ng box to be paid for at the Inspector's valuation. Deliveries are to made at the rate of not less than sixty sets per day, commencing on the 221 day of March next, Failure to deliver at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfeiture of the number he may fail to deliver at that time.

No bids will be considered except from parties actually engaged in the manufacture of this or similar kinds of iron work, and who can bring ample articles a that they have in their own shorn all the evidence that they have in their own shops all the machinery and appliances for turning out the fall amount of work specified per day. Bidders will be required to furnish proper socurities for the proper performance of the work, and will enclose with their bids the written acknowl-

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Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Ramsay." Chief of Ordnance, Washington City," and will be endorsed "Proposals for Harness Irons."

GEO. D. RAMSAY, fe 24 coft Brig. Gen. and Chief of Ordnance.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, February 23, 1834.

PROPOSALS will be received by this Department until MONDAY, March 14th, at 4 p. m., for the delivery at the New York Arsenal of 5,000 Horse artillery Sabres, United States regulation pattern. These Sabres are to be made in strict accordance with the standard rattern to be seen at the New with the standard rattern to be seen at the New William 1985. with the standard pattern to be seen at the New York Arsenal.
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Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D. Ramssy, Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.," and endorsed "Proposals for Horse Artillery Sabres."

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